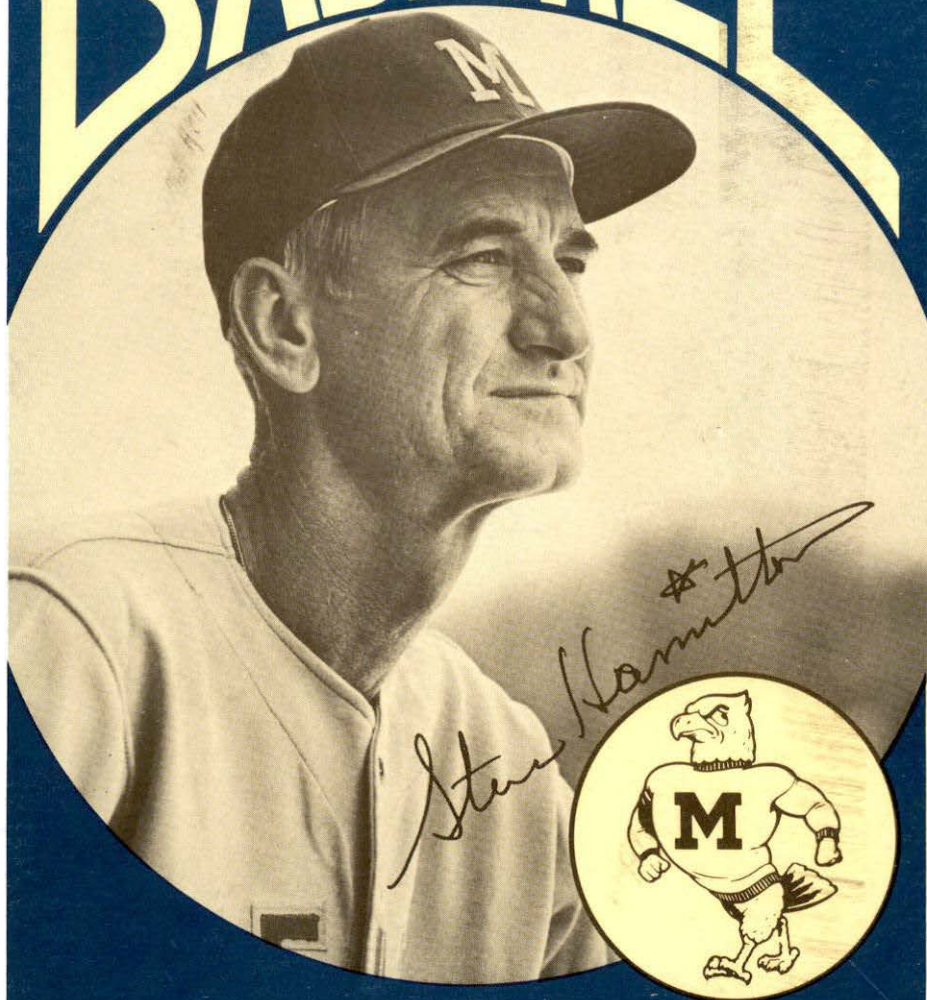


1983 EAGLE BASEBALL



Morehead State University

Morehead State Facts

Location: Morehead, Ky. 40351
Founded: 1922
Enrollment: 6,500
Nickname: Eagles
Colors: Blue and gold
Conference: Ohio Valley, NCAA Division I
Field: Allen Field (1,200)
Dimensions: 330' left, 375' center,
345' right
1981 Record: 19-22
1982 OVC Record: 4-4 (second in Northern
Division)
Lettermen Returning/Lost: 19/4
Head Coach: Steve Hamilton
Alma Mater: Morehead State '58
Coaching Record: 155-124 (7 yrs.)
Record at MSU: 155-124 (7 yrs.)
Office Phone: (606) 783-2881
Best Time to Call: weekday mornings
Assistant Coaches:
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Mike Mattox (student assistant)
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Athletic Director: G.E. (Sonny) Moran
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Trainer: Keith Webster; Jeff Mullins, asst.
Team Physicians: Dr. Pat Serey, Dr. Tom
Fossett



Credits

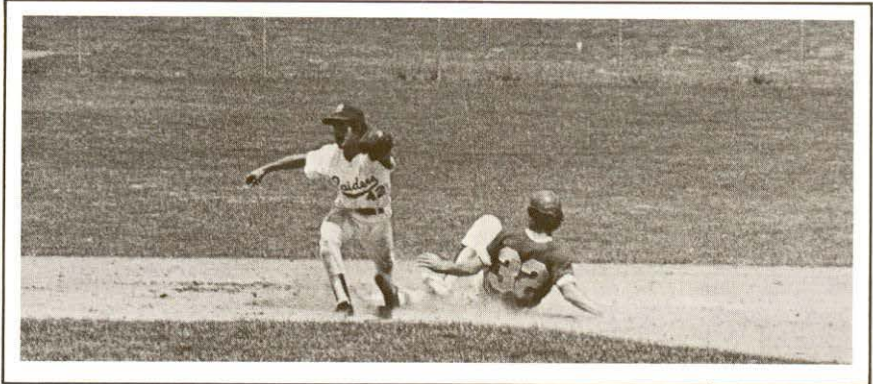
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1983 Outlook



Morehead State University baseball coach Steve Hamilton is no stranger to winning; his record as an athlete and coach reflect that. Hamilton, the 1977 Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year, thinks he has another winner in the 1983 Eagle baseball team.

Hamilton, who is entering his eighth season as MSU baseball coach, says, "If our pitching comes through, this team could be as good as any we've had here. We have the potential to win as many games as we've ever won."

That's a strong statement, considering past Hamilton-coached teams have posted such records as 28-11 (1976) and 27-19 (the 1977 OVC championship team).

With only four players gone from last season's 19-22 squad which finished second in the OVC Northern Division, these Eagles have the potential to be winners.

Despite the loss of sluggers Don Allen and Jamey Bennett, the Eagles should have another potent lineup in 1983.

"I think we'll score some runs," Hamilton said. "I'm not so sure we'll keep the other teams from scoring. We have some good power hitters and some good contact hitters. That's a good combination. We have more team speed this year, too."

Hamilton sees his infield as one of the team's strong suits. It's an infield that should be strong offensively and defensively.

Replacing Allen at first base will be Scott Haynes, last season's designated hitter. "He's a strong offensive player and he does an adequate job at first," Hamilton said of Haynes. "He'll probably bat fourth." Haynes's backup at first will be Mark Swartz, an excellent defensive player.

Second base is another strong position for the Eagles. Steve Heatherly, a junior from Waterboro, S.C., is "as good as any second baseman in the conference," according to Hamilton.

The shortstop will be Frank Spaniol, a senior from Liberty, Ky. A switch hitter, Spaniol batted .318 last season with two home runs and eight stolen bases.

Joe Mitchell, a junior from Mount Olivet, was an all-conference performer at third base last season when he batted .298 with nine home runs. But Hamilton is considering moving Mitchell to catcher. When Mitchell moves behind the plate, junior Robert Shipp could take over at third base.

"Mitchell is big (6-4, 193) and has a strong arm," Hamilton said. "We're trying to make a catcher out of him. He came on in the fall. We can be strong at catcher, but it's an unknown situation."

Daniel Smith, a 6-2, 195-pound freshman from Ashland, Ky., will serve as a backup at catcher. Tom Rastani, a junior from Cincinnati, will also see action at catcher.

Hamilton is optimistic about his outfield. "We have some guys who can go get the ball," he said.

Shawn Johnson, an all-conference pick last season, is back in left field. Johnson, a sophomore from Grayson, Ky., batted .336

with a team-high 10 doubles last season.

Alan Steele, a defensive specialist, returns in center field. A senior from Lexington, Ky., Steele batted .269 with four home runs last season. Freshman Robert Trimble will be the backup in center field.

Norman Brock, a transfer who is eligible for the first time this season, is expected to start in right field. He is a junior from Detroit, Mich.

Hamilton, a former major league pitcher himself, sees pitching as a question mark on this Eagle team. "We have some quality, but not much depth," Hamilton says of his pitching staff.

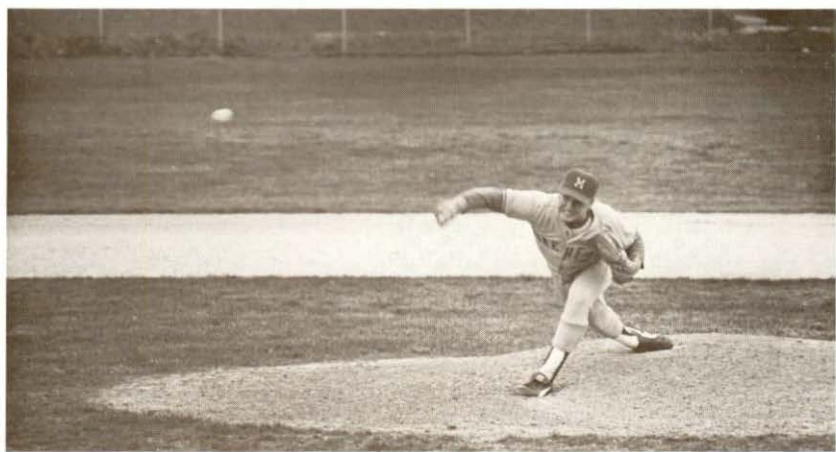
Mike Mattox and Glenn Napier, two mainstays of the Eagle pitching staff for four seasons, were lost to graduation.

The top returning pitcher is righthander David Armentrout, a junior from Chapmanville, W.Va. Armentrout was 6-3 with a 4.22 earned run average last season.

Righthander Rick Layne (4-2 last season) is back, along with righthanders Robbie Williams (2-1 last season) and Ray Hornback (2-1 last season).

Hamilton says Morehead State's 1983 schedule should be challenging. "Most of the teams on our schedule are Division I schools," he said. "We play a lot of tough schools early in the season. We have a lot of teams coming here that people should be interested in seeing."

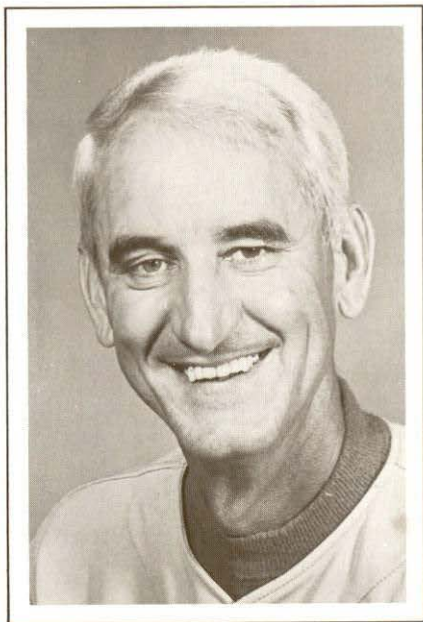
Among the teams MSU will be playing are Maryland of the Atlantic Coast Conference, Purdue of the Big Ten Conference, and the University of Kentucky of the Southeastern Conference.



Coaching Staff



Steve Hamilton Head Baseball Coach



Steve Hamilton has continued the success he realized as a college and professional athlete in his seven seasons as Morehead State University's head baseball coach.

Hamilton, who guided the Eagles to a second-place finish in the Ohio Valley Conference Northern Division last season, has compiled a record of 155-124 at MSU. He was named OVC Coach of the Year in 1977 when the Eagles won the conference championship and participated in the NCAA South Region playoffs.

The Eagles were division champions in 1976 and OVC regular season champions in 1979.

Hamilton has had a long and distinguished career in sports. The 6-6 Hamilton played professional baseball and basketball after an outstanding career in both sports at Morehead State.

He spent 11 seasons in major league baseball, playing for the Cleveland Indians, Washington Senators, New York Yankees, Chicago White Sox, San Francisco Giants,

and Chicago Cubs.

He was a top relief pitcher for the Yankees for 7½ seasons and participated in two World Series. He served as the Yankees' player representative from 1965 through 1970 and as American League player representative from 1967 through 1970.

After graduation from Morehead State in 1958, Hamilton spent two seasons playing for the Minneapolis Lakers of the National Basketball Association. He was playing professional baseball in the Indians' minor league system during those years.

Hamilton retired from baseball after the 1972 season and managed the Johnson City Yankees of the Appalachian League in 1973. He served as the Detroit Tigers' pitching coach in 1975.

When he replaced John "Sonny" Allen as head baseball coach at Morehead State in 1976, Hamilton was returning to the site of his past glory. He was a three-sport star at Morehead State from 1954 through 1958.

Among Hamilton's many accomplishments at Morehead State was the unique achievement of playing on conference champions in three sports—basketball, baseball, and track.

During his outstanding basketball career Hamilton established school records for rebounds in a game (38), rebounds in a season (543), rebounds in a four-year career (1,675), best rebounding average in a season (20.1), and best rebounding average in a career (16.4). He is the No. 4 all-time scorer at MSU with 1,829 points.

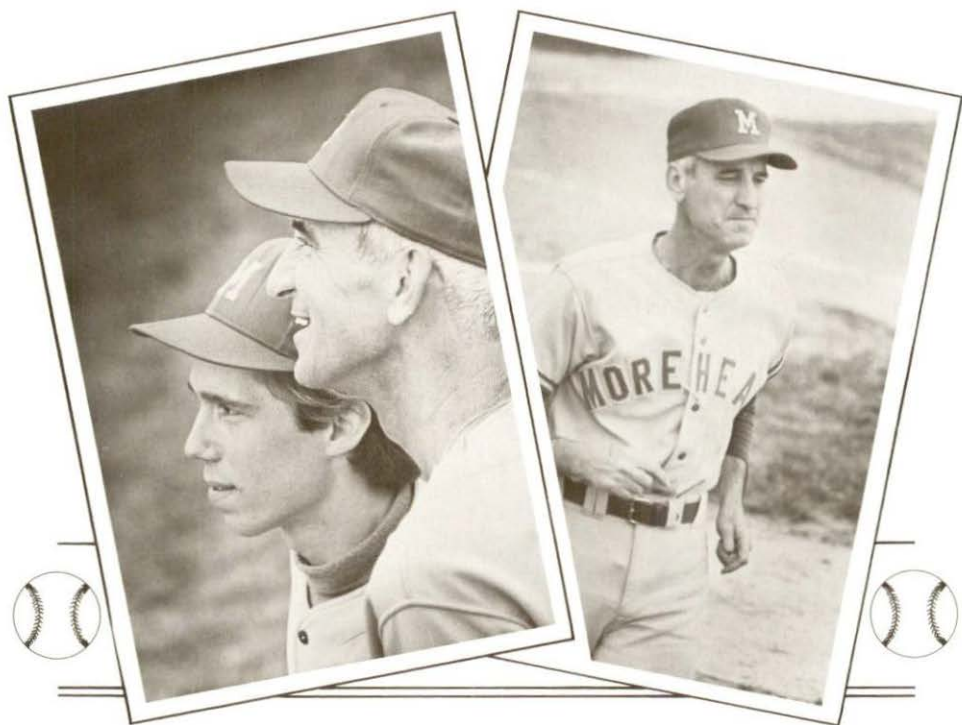
He led the Eagles to OVC championships in 1956 and 1957 and was named an All-American in 1957.

Hamilton was the best pitcher on the Morehead State team which won the conference championship in 1957. He was selected Player of the Year in Kentucky that season.

He divided his time in the spring between baseball and track. An excellent pole vaulter and high jumper, Hamilton won the OVC pole vault title in 1955 as the Eagles won the conference championship.

Hamilton, who graduated from Charlestown (Ind.) High School in 1952, received his bachelor's degree from Morehead State in 1958 and his master's degree in 1963.

He is married to the former Shirley Potter of Raceland, Ky. They have four children—Stephanie (Turner), 24; Elizabeth (Copeland), 22; Robert, 18; and Daniel, 10.



Steve Hamilton Up Close

Years at Morehead State: seven. Returned to Morehead State in 1976 and replaced John "Sonny" Allen as head baseball coach.

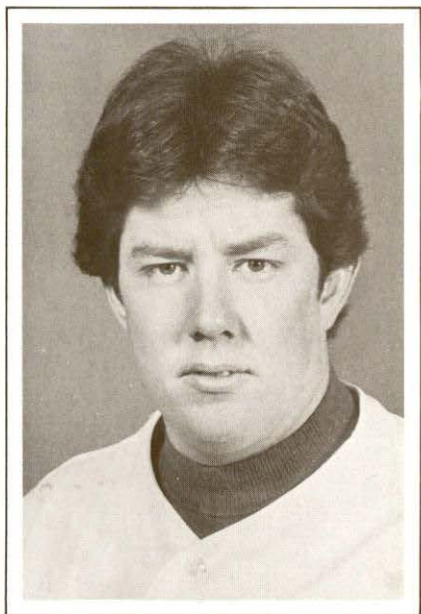
Previous Coaching Experience: Manager of the Johnson City (Tenn.) Yankees of the Appalachian League (1973); pitching coach of the Detroit Tigers in the major leagues (1975); assistant basketball coach, Morehead State (1960-65); assistant baseball coach, Morehead State (1966-73).

Playing Experience: professional—spent 11 seasons as a major league baseball player (1961-72); played for the Cleveland Indians (1961), Washington Senators (1962), New York Yankees (1963-70), Chicago White Sox (1970), San Francisco Giants (1971), and Chicago Cubs (1972); played four

seasons (1958-61) in the Cleveland Indians minor league organization; played two seasons (1958-60) for the Minneapolis Lakers of the National Basketball Association; college—lettered four years in baseball and basketball at Morehead State (1954-58) and lettered two years in track; high school—lettered in basketball and baseball at Charlestown (Ind.) High School.

Education: graduated from Charlestown (Ind.) High School in 1952; A.B. degree in physical education and economics/sociology from Morehead State in 1958; M.A. degree in education from Morehead State in 1963.

Personal Data: born on Nov. 30, 1934 in Columbia, Ky.; married Shirley Potter of Raceland, Ky., on June 13, 1956; four children, Stephanie (Turner), 24, Elizabeth (Copeland), 22, Robert, 18, and Daniel, 10.



Mark Imhoff **Graduate Assistant** **Coach**

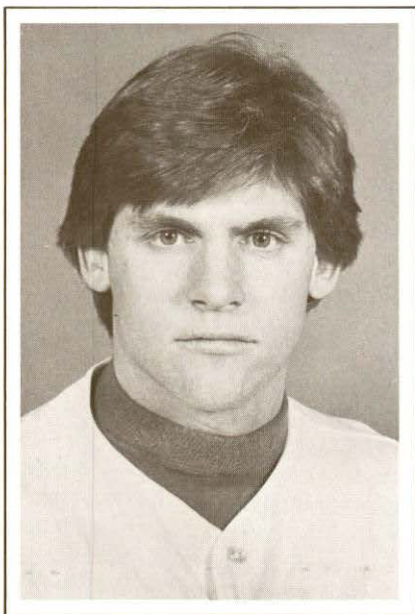
Mark Imhoff begins his first season as a graduate assistant coach with the Eagle baseball team after serving two years as head baseball coach at Sparta (Ill.) High School.

Imhoff, a native of Murphysboro, Ill., posted a 30-22 record in two seasons at Sparta. He also served as an assistant coach in basketball and football at Sparta.

Imhoff graduated from Eastern Illinois University in 1979. While at Eastern Illinois he served two years as assistant baseball coach at Charleston High School.

He spent two years at John A. Logan College in Carterville, Ill., where he was an infielder on the baseball team for two seasons.

Imhoff is married to the former Pam McKinney of Murphysboro, Ill.



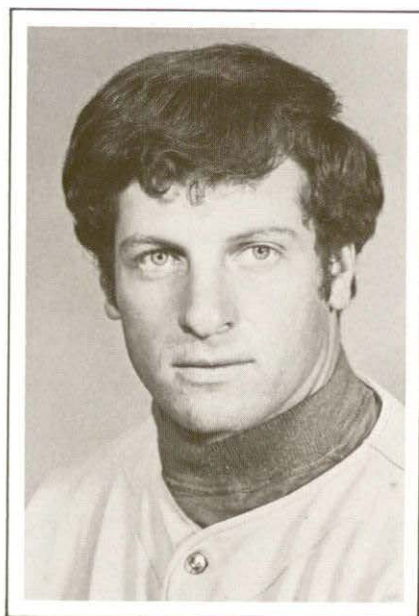
Mike Mattox **Student Assistant** **Coach**

Mike Mattox begins his first season as a student assistant coach with the Eagle baseball team after a fine four-year career as a pitcher at Morehead State.

A 6-0, 175-pound righthander from Carlisle, Ky., Mattox posted an 11-9 record in four seasons. He was 4-5 with a 4.28 earned run average and four complete games in 1982.

Mattox recorded a 3-2 season and a 4.19 earned run average in 1980. He struck out 30 in 43 innings. For his career, Mattox struck out 108 and walked 75 in 155 innings. He pitched in 37 games.

Mattox will work primarily with the Eagle pitching staff this season. He will run the bullpen during games.



Marc Leyerle **Student Assistant** **Coach**

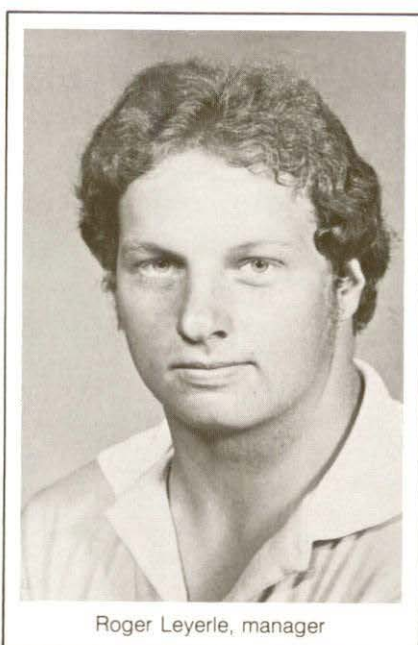
Marc Leyerle, a native of Gibsonburg, Ohio, begins his first season as a student assistant coach with the Eagle baseball program.

Leyerle was a standout baseball player at Gibsonburg High School for four years. He played the outfield and pitched at Gibsonburg, where he graduated in 1976.

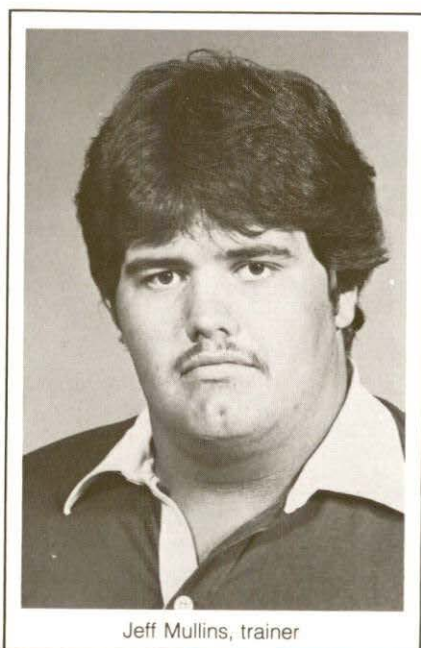
He also played baseball at Monroe County Community College and at Bowling Green State University. He pitched one season (1980) for the class A Salem Senators of the Northwest League. The Senators are in the Los Angeles Dodgers' organization.

Leyerle was an assistant coach one season at Lockhaven State College in Pennsylvania before coming to Morehead State, where he is working on a master's degree in physical education.

His primary responsibility will be working with the Eagle outfielders, although he will work some with the pitchers.



Roger Leyerle, manager



Jeff Mullins, trainer

Dr. Morris L. Norfleet

President

Dr. Morris L. Norfleet, MSU's eighth chief executive, has been a member of the university's faculty and staff for more than 19 years, including the last six months of 1976 as acting president.

Before moving into the president's office permanently, he served eight years as vice president for research and development.

The Pulaski County (Ky.) native was appointed to the presidency by unanimous vote of the Board of Regents.

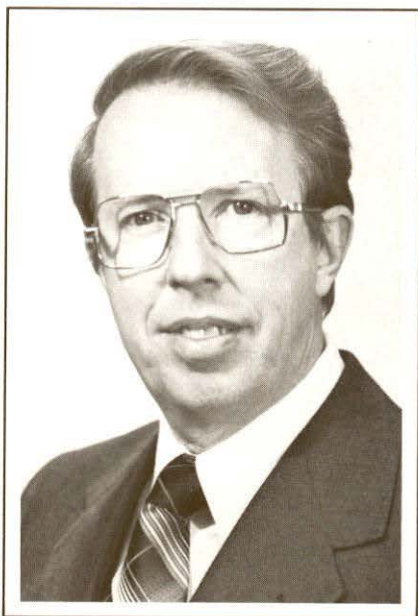
He joined the MSU faculty in 1962 as associate professor of education and director of student teaching. He advanced to professor of education and director of research and program development in 1965 and became a vice president in 1968.

He began his career in education as a teacher in the Spiceland (Ind.) Public Schools in 1952 and joined the Indiana Farm Bureau Cooperative Association as a public relations assistant in 1958. He assumed duties as a market research analyst with the Indiana Farm Bureau Cooperative Association in 1960 and then served as instructor of education at Purdue University for two years.

Dr. Norfleet earned his bachelor's degree in 1952 from the University of Kentucky. He received an M.S. in education in 1957 and a doctoral degree in 1962 from Purdue University.

Dr. Norfleet currently is serving as a member of the Federal Relations Committee of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, a member of the Governor's Appalachian Development Council, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Gateway Area Development District, and a member of the Board of Trustees of Campbellsville College.

He formerly served the Kentucky Council



on Public Higher Education as a member of the Formula Funding Task Force and Long-Range Planning Committee and chairman of the Comprehensive Planning Task Force.

Dr. Norfleet has been listed in the Outstanding Educators of America, Outstanding Personalities in the South, National Directory of Administrators in Higher Education and Phi Delta Kappa National Directory of Researchers.

He is married to the former Loistene Tarter of Nancy. They have one son, Douglas Lee.

Athletic Staff

G.E. (Sonny) Moran Director of Athletics

Morehead State University athletics have been under the firm direction of G. E. (Sonny) Moran for eight years.

The 55-year-old Moran came to MSU in 1974 from the head basketball coaching position at West Virginia University. He served on the Montaineer staff for nine seasons, the last five as head coach.

Moran began his coaching career in 1950 at Chamberlain Junior High School in Charleston, W.Va. After serving as head basketball coach and coaching numerous other sports at Elkview and Stonewall Jackson high schools, he became head coach and athletic director at Morris Harvey College in Charleston.

He posted a 148-74 career coaching record at Morris Harvey from 1957 through 1965 before moving to WVU. He posted a 205-141 college coaching record and a 274-156 total career record.

He was selected the college "Coach of the Year" in West Virginia in 1962 and was the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference "Coach of the Year" in 1964. He served as coach of the South squad in the North-South College All-Star Basketball Game in Erie, Pa., in 1972.

His Morris Harvey teams won two WVIAC basketball championships and participated in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics national tournament in Kansas City in 1962 and 1964. His tennis teams at Morris



Harvey also won conference titles in 1964 and 1965 and participated in the national tournament.

As an athlete, Moran was a standout baseball and basketball player at Morris Harvey.

A graduate of Stonewall Jackson High, he received his bachelor's degree in 1950 from Morris Harvey and a master's degree in education in 1957 from WVU.

Moran is married to the former Betty Morgan of Charleston. They have two daughters.



John E. (Sonny) Allen **Assistant Athletic** **Director**

John E. (Sonny) Allen assumed the assistant athletic director's post at his alma mater in 1975 after guiding the Eagles to an enviable 226-137 mark in 14 seasons as head baseball coach.

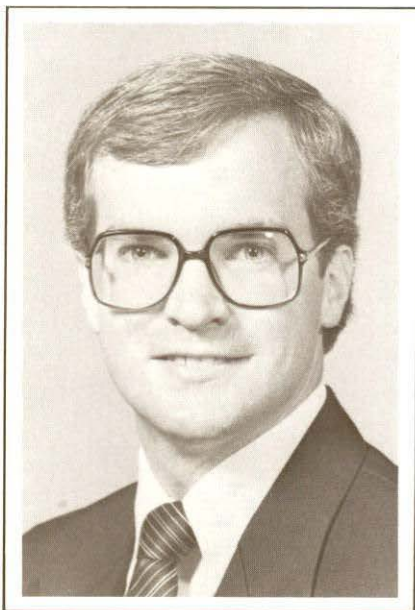
Allen was named Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year three years as he guided Morehead State to OVC championships in 1957, 1969 and 1973.

Allen was an exceptional athlete, earning all-state honors in basketball twice at University Breckinridge School.

Allen was a four-year starter for the basketball Eagles and ranks third on the all-time MSU scoring list with 1,923 points. He was an All-Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference selection in 1947 and 1948 and was named to the All-OVC unit in 1949 and 1950.

A member of the Kentucky Basketball Hall of Fame, Allen attained All-America status in 1950 and signed a professional basketball contract with the Indianapolis Olympians of the NBA.

He is married to the former Merl Fair of Morehead. They have four children.



Keith Webster **Athletic Trainer**

Keith Webster will enter his first season as athletic trainer at Morehead State University.

Webster, 27, was an assistant athletic trainer at the University of Florida for two seasons before coming to MSU. He was the head athletic trainer for Centre College in Danville, Ky., for two years prior to joining the Florida staff.

Webster also gained experience in athletic training as an undergraduate student at the University of Kentucky. He obtained his degree in history and sociology education from Kentucky in 1978. He worked four years as a student trainer with the Wildcats and was head student trainer as a senior.

Webster has also had training experience with the Philadelphia Eagles professional football team, the National Sports Festival II at the Olympia Training Center in Colorado Springs, Col., and with the Amateur Basketball Association in working with the USA All-Star basketball team for the World Invitational Tournament.

A native of Medford Lakes, N.J., Webster is married to the former Denise Lafferty, also of Medford Lakes.



Kenny Klein **Sports Information** **Director**

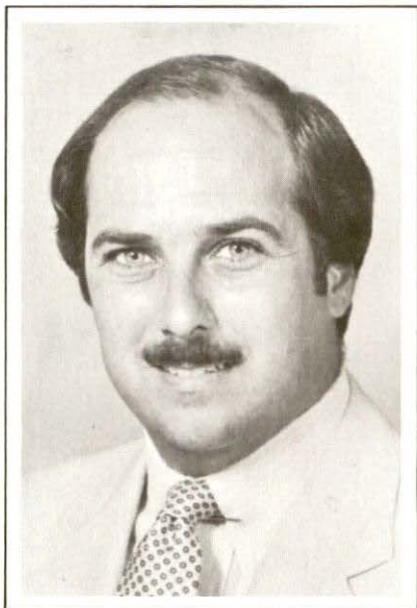
Kenny Klein will enter his first season as sports information director at Morehead State University.

Klein spent four years as an undergraduate and graduate assistant at Murray State University prior to joining the Eagle staff. He also worked one season as a student assistant in sports information and as sports editor of the student newspaper at Austin Peay State University.

A 22-year-old native of Southside, Tenn., Klein was also a sports writer for the Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle. He co-edited the 1980 Murray State football program, which was judged best in the district and second nationally by the College Sports Information Directors of America.

A 1981 graduate of Murray State, Klein is a member of CoSIDA, National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association, U.S. Basketball Writers Association, Football Writers Association and Sigma Delta Chi.

He is married to the former Nancy Mitchener of St. Louis, Mo.



Don Russell **Athletic Development** **Officer**

Don Russell became Morehead State University's first athletic development officer in December of 1980.

Russell established eight MSU kicking records in 1973 after transferring to the Eagles from Louisville. He was an All-OVC choice and All-America pick by Universal Sports magazine in 1973, and was honored on the Academic All-America team in 1974.

Russell is a veteran play-by-play broadcaster for the Eagles. He began his announcing career as a color commentator for the Eagle Sports Network in 1975 while working as a graduate assistant in sports information.

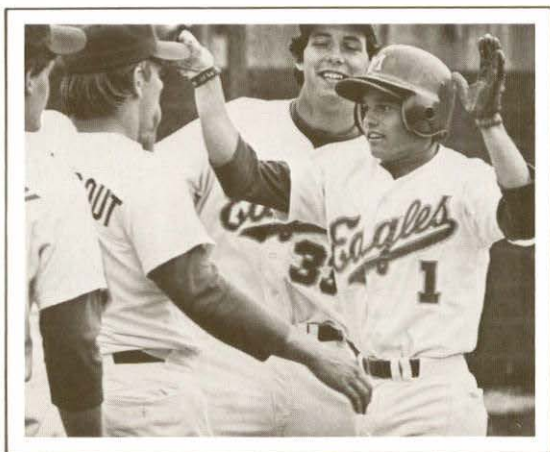
A 30-year-old native of Louisville, Russell assumed the combined role of sports director for WMKY radio and radio-TV instructor in 1976. He began announcing play-by-play for Eagle athletic teams in 1977 and continues to be the Voice of the Eagles.

Russell is married to the former Gail Wright of Louisville.

The MSU Eagles



1983 Baseball Roster



No	Name	Pos	Class	Ht	Wt	B-T	Home Town (High School)
19	David Armentrout	P	Jr.	6-1	188	R-R	Chapmanville, W.Va. (Chapmanville)
17	John Bennett	OF	Jr.	6-4	195	L-R	Frankfort, Ky. (Frankfort)
2	Allen Bradley	INF	Fr.	5-9	150	R-R	Morehead, Ky. (Rowan Co.)
8	Norman Brock	OF	Jr.	6-0	170	L-L	Detroit, Mich. (Northwestern)
21	Ted Carter	P	Jr.	6-1	175	R-R	Grayson, Ky. (East Carter)
23	Keith Dotson	INF	Fr.	6-2	180	R-R	Frankfort, Ky. (Western Hills)
15	Drew Hall	P	So.	6-4	190	L-L	Rush, Ky. (Ashland)
10	Tony Hatton	C	So.	5-11	175	R-R	Versailles, Ky. (Woodford Co.)
26	Scott Haynes	P	Sr.	6-2	175	L-R	Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)
1	Steve Heatherly	INF	Jr.	5-8	145	R-R	Walterboro, S.Car. (Roanoke Rapids)
20	Ray Hornback	P	So.	6-0	175	R-R	Cincinnati, Ohio (Western Hills)
16	Michael Ishmael	INF	Fr.	5-8	160	R-R	Flemingsburg, Ky. (Fleming Co.)
5	Shawn Johnson	OF	So.	5-7	165	L-L	Grayson, Ky. (East Carter)
31	Tim Jolley	P	Fr.	6-6	210	R-R	Loveland, Ohio (Moeller)
34	Rick Layne	P	Jr.	6-5	197	R-R	Frankfort, Ky. (Franklin Co.)
29	David Michael	P	Jr.	6-3	180	R-R	Louisia, Ky. (Lawrence Co.)
6	John Miller	INF	So.	5-10	160	R-R	Paintsville, Ky. (Paintsville)
33	Joe Mitchell	INF	Jr.	6-4	193	R-R	Mt. Olivet, Ky. (Deming)
18	Gayle Pollock	INF	Fr.	5-10	155	R-R	Flemingsburg, Ky. (Fleming Co.)
	Todd Pratt	P	Fr.	6-3	187	R-L	Morehead, Ky. (Rowan Co.)
12	Tom Rastani	C	Jr.	6-0	175	R-R	Cincinnati, Ohio (McNicholas)
14	Jeff Ratliff	OF	So.	5-9	160	L-L	Winchester, Ohio (Eastern Brown)
	Mark Roberts	P	Jr.	6-4	190	R-R	Louisville, Ky. (Jessamine Co.)
30	Robert Shipp	INF	Jr.	5-11	180	S-R	Detroit, Mich.
24	Daniel Smith	C	Fr.	6-2	195	R-R	Ashland, Ky. (Paul Blazer)
7	Frank Spaniol	INF	Sr.	5-11	170	S-R	San Diego, Calif. (Serra)
3	Alan Steele	OF	Sr.	5-10	170	S-R	Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)
11	Kevin Sturgill	P	Sr.	6-0	165	R-R	Prestonsburg, Ky. (Prestonsburg)
13	Mark Swartz	C	Jr.	6-2	180	L-R	Olympia, Ky. (Bath Co.)
22	Robert Trimble	OF	Fr.	5-10	165	L-L	Raceland, Ky. (Raceland)
27	Robbie Williams	P	So.	6-2	190	R-R	Alexandria, Ky. (Campbell Co.)

Depth Chart

Left Field

Shawn Johnson
Robert Shipp
John Bennett

Center Field

Alan Steele
Robert Trimble

Right Field

Norman Brock
Jeff Ratliff

Shortstop

Frank Spaniol
Robert Shipp
Michael Ishmael

Second Base

Steve Heatherly
Allen Bradley

Pitcher*

Scott Haynes
Kevin Sturgill
David Armentrout
Ted Carter
Rick Layne
David Michael
Mark Roberts
Drew Hall
Ray Hornback
Robbie Williams
Tim Jolley
Todd Pratt

Third Base

Joe Mitchell
Robert Shipp
John Miller
Keith Dotson
Gayle Pollock

First Base

Scott Haynes
Mark Swartz

Catcher

Joe Mitchell
Tom Rastani
Daniel Smith
Mark Swartz
Tony Hatton

*Pitchers listed alphabetically
by class

Numerical Roster

- 1 Steve Heatherly, inf
- 2 Allen Bradley, inf
- 3 Alan Steele, of
- 5 Shawn Johnson, of
- 6 John Miller, inf
- 7 Frank Spaniol, inf
- 8 Norman Brock, of
- 10 Tony Hatton, c
- 11 Kevin Sturgill, p
- 12 Tom Rastani, c
- 13 Mark Swartz, c
- 14 Jeff Ratliff, of

- 15 Drew Hall, p
- 16 Michael Ishmael, inf
- 17 John Bennett, of
- 18 Gayle Pollock, inf
- 19 David Armentrout, p
- 20 Ray Hornback, p
- 21 Ted Carter, p
- 22 Robert Trimble, of
- 23 Keith Dotson, inf
- 24 Daniel Smith, c
- 26 Scott Haynes, p
- 27 Robbie Williams, p

- 29 David Michael, p
- 30 Robert Shipp, inf
- 31 Tim Jolley, p
- 33 Joe Mitchell, inf
- 34 Rick Layne, p

Coaches

- 39 Steve Hamilton, head coach
- 28 Mark Imhoff, asst.
- 4 Mark Leyerle, asst.
- 9 Mike Mattox, asst.

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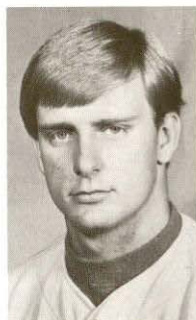
David Armentrout

pitcher

Height: 6-1 Class: Junior
 Weight: 188 Birth Date: 5-2-62
 Bats: Right Home Town: Chapmanville, W.Va.
 Throws: Right High School: Chapmanville HS

All-OVC selection last season for the Eagles. Most consistent hurler on squad. Top winner last year with a 6-3 record. Compiled a 4.22 ERA last season, walking just 19 batters in 59 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings. Has good breaking pitches and knows how to win. Pitched shutout in his initial start vs. Xavier last season. Studying management and accounting at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1981	9	3-2	33.2	41	30-14	3.74	14	30
1982	11	6-3	59.2	60	34-28	4.22	19	27



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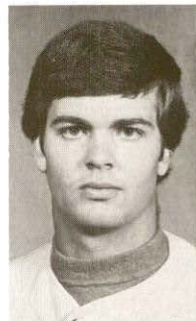
John Bennett

outfield

Height: 6-4 Class: Junior
 Weight: 195 Birth Date: 7-28-62
 Bats: Left Home Town: Frankfort, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Frankfort HS

Hit .292 in a reserve role for the Eagles last season. Will probably see action as a designated hitter or in left field in 1983. Has good power, smashing three home runs and a double in just 24 at-bats. Is developing into more of a contact hitter. Also scored eight runs and six RBI. Brother Jamey was an All-OVC designated hitter last year. Studying journalism at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1981	76	24	19	16	2	0	4	17	.250
1982	24	8	7	6	1	0	3	2	.292



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Allen Bradley

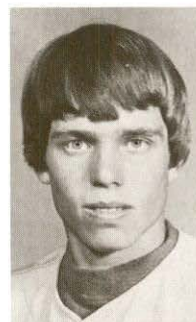
infield

Height: 5-9 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 150 Birth Date: 3-4-64
 Bats: Right Home Town: Morehead, Ky.
 Throws: Left High School: Rowan County HS

One of eight freshmen on the Eagle roster for 1983. Should provide good backup support for starter Steve Heatherly at second base. Possesses a good arm and has good speed. Potentially a good hitter. Played for coach Larry Hardin at Rowan County High School. One of four freshmen operating in the infield this season. Academic emphasis is undecided.

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Norman Brock

outfield

Height: 6-0 Class: Junior
 Weight: 170 Birth Date: 9-3-61
 Bats: Left Home Town: Detroit, Mich.
 Throws: Left High School: Northwestern HS

Sat out last season after transferring from Jarvis Christian College in Hawkins, Texas. Will probably be a mainstay in right field. Should bat in the lead-off position. An outstanding defensive player with great speed. Excellent high average hitter who can also hit with power. Lettered in golf in high school. Studying data processing at MSU.

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21

Ted Carter

pitcher

Height: 6-1 Class: Junior
 Weight: 175 Birth Date: 9-5-62
 Bats: Right Home Town: Grayson, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: East Carter HS

Saw action in three games last season. Will be used as a relief pitcher for the Eagles and could be the top man out of the bullpen. Threw well in fall workouts. A power pitcher with a good fastball. Produced a 4.76 earned run average over 5 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings last year. Recorded a 3-0 record in 32 innings as a sophomore. Studying industrial technology at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1981	7	3-0	32	51	33-29	8.16	12	13
1982	3	0-0	5.2	4	4-3	4.76	4	2



23

Keith Dotson

infield

Height: 6-2 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 180 Birth Date: 2-29-64
 Bats: Right Home Town: Frankfort, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Western Hills HS

A very versatile freshman infielder. First player signed by the Eagles last year. Can play all the infield positions but is primarily a third baseman. Possesses a good arm with good range. An excellent contact hitter. Hit .377 with two home runs and 30 runs batted in last season for Western Hills High School.

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Drew Hall

pitcher

Height: 6-4 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 190 Birth Date: 3-27-63
 Bats: Left Home Town: Rush, Ky.
 Throws: Left High School: Ashland HS

Will be a member of the starting pitching rotation this season. Was winless in four decisions last season. Struck out 29 and walked 28 in 27 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings last year. Has unlimited potential. Has an excellent fastball and good curveball. Bothered with control problems last years. Father Acie played basketball at MSU. Studying industrial technology at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1982	7	0-4	27.2	22	22-14	4.55	28	29



10

Tony Hatton

catcher

Height: 5-11 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 175 Birth Date: 10-10-63
 Bats: Right Home Town: Versailles, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Woodford County HS

A walk-on performer at catcher for the Eagles. A hard worker in the bullpen. Should provide good depth at the catcher position with experience. Team captain his senior year for coach Sonny Dennison at Woodford County High School. An all-conference selection as a junior. Also lettered in wrestling at Woodford County. Studying geology and environmental sciences at MSU.

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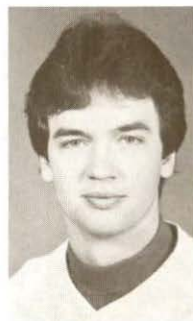
Scott Haynes

pitcher

Height: 6-2 Class: Senior Weight: 175 Birth Date: 5-5-61
 Bats: Left Home Town: Lexington, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Lafayette HS

Will operate as both a first baseman and pitcher for the Eagles. Most pleasant surprise to Eagle coaching staff last season. Hit .417 with three home runs and three doubles last season. Struck out only three times in 48 at-bats last year. Compiled a 1-0 record and 4.23 ERA in 10 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings last season on the mound. Studying business management at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1980	3	0-0	2.1	5	3-3	11.57	1	4
1981	4	0-1	10.2	21	19-10	8.44	9	5
1982	3	1-0	10.2	11	7-5	4.23	5	3



1

Steve Heatherly

infield

Height: 5-8 Class: Junior
 Weight: 145 Birth Date: 10-19-61
 Bats: Right Home Town: Walterboro, S.Car.
 Throws: Right High School: Roanoke Rapids HS

An outstanding defensive second baseman for the Eagles. Has a great arm and has good power for his size. Hit .223 with four home runs and nine doubles last year. Transferred from Brewton Parker Junior College. Should be one of the Eagles' top base stealing threats for 1983. Nicknamed "Flea." Probably will hit near top of batting order. Studying physical education at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1982	121	26	27	18	9	0	4	17	.223



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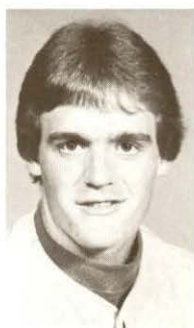
Ray Hornback

pitcher

Height: 6-0 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 175 Birth Date: 2-13-63
 Bats: Right Home Town: Cincinnati, Ohio
 Throws: Right High School: Western Hills HS

Missed most of last season with a back injury but will be counted upon as a starter this year. A tremendous battler with a number of good breaking pitches. Produced a 2-1 record in 22 2/3 innings last season. Pitched in seven games, starting three and completing one. Has six brothers and sisters. Studying special education at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1982	7	2-1	22.2	23	15-11	4.37	17	17



16

Michael Ishmael

infield

Height: 5-8 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 160 Birth Date: 8-20-63
 Bats: Right Home Town: Flemingsburg, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Fleming County HS

A top back-up at shortstop to starter Frank Spaniol. Has good hands and a great arm with a lot of range. A good contact hitter. Hit .475 for coach Pete Gray at Fleming County High School last year. Also lettered in football and basketball at Fleming County. An all-conference selection in baseball as a senior. All-conference in football. Academic emphasis is undecided.

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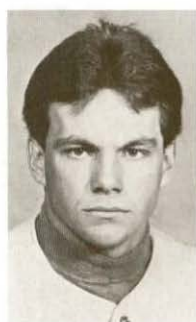
Shawn Johnson

outfield

Height: 5-7 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 165 Birth Date: 4-24-63
 Bats: Left Home Town: Grayson, Ky.
 Throws: Left High School: East Carter HS

An All-OVC selection in the outfield last season. Led the team with 10 doubles and also hit one home run. Made the team after walking on last year. Hits well to all fields. Good base runner and is a good defensive outfielder. Hit .336 with 22 runs batted in last year. Stole 28 bases for American Legion Post 126 (Morehead) in 1981. Studying earth science at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1982	107	22	36	22	10	0	1	9	.336



31

Tim Jolley

pitcher

Height: 6-6 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 210 Birth Date: 1-27-64
 Bats: Right Home Town: Loveland, Ohio
 Throws: Right High School: Moeller HS

A walk-on to the Eagle pitching corps. Attending MSU on a football scholarship, operating as a back-up quarterback for the Eagles. Hard thrower. Also lettered in football and basketball at Moeller High School. Moeller finished as runner-up in the state playoffs his senior season and Jolley led tournament with a 15-rebound per game average. Studying criminology at MSU.

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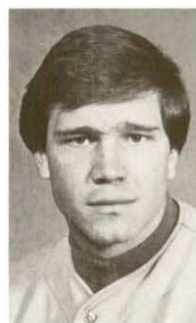
Rick Layne

pitcher

Height: 6-5 Class: Junior
 Weight: 197 Birth Date: 10-26-61
 Bats: Right Home Town: Frankfort, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Franklin County HS

Could be the Eagles' top pitcher. Has a great slider and is a strong power pitcher. Compiled a 4-2 record last season, starting seven games and completing two. Led the Eagles with 42 strike outs over 36 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings last year. Had a 6.63 ERA. Also produced a 4-2 record as a freshman with two complete games and a 5.75 ERA. Studying machine tool technology.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1981	8	4-2	36	44	32-23	5.75	29	27
1982	7	4-2	36.2	39	28-27	6.63	25	42

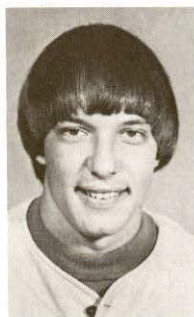


29**David Michael****pitcher**

Height: 6-3 Class: Junior
 Weight: 180 Birth Date: 9-6-61
 Bats: Right Home Town: Louisa, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Lawrence County HS

Acquired a sore arm last year, leaving him questionable for spring competition. Should be used as a long reliever and spot starter. Control pitcher. Was 0-2 in three starts last year. Worked 11 $\frac{1}{3}$ innings last year in five games. Produced a 1-1 mark as a freshman, starting two games and completing one. Pitched 28 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings in eight games in 1981. Studying accounting.

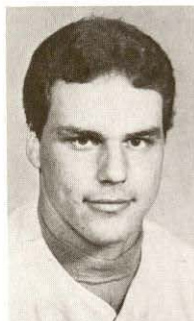
Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1981	8	1-1	28.2	41	37-29	9.10	21	14
1982	5	0-2	11.2	17	27-23	17.74	16	7

**6****John Miller****infield**

Height: 5-10 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 160 Birth Date: 12-14-62
 Bats: Right Home Town: Paintsville, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Paintsville HS

Saw limited action as a reserve performer at third base last season. Hit .243 last year in 37 at-bats with one home run and eight runs batted in. A good hitter who hits well to opposite fields. A good defensive player at third base. Runs bases well. Most valuable player as a senior at Paintsville High School in baseball. Studying industrial education at MSU.

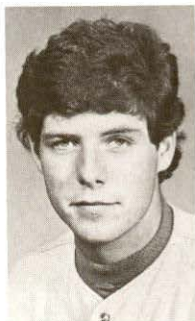
Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1982	37	2	9	8	0	0	1	4	.243

**33****Joe Mitchell****infield**

Height: 6-4 Class: Junior
 Weight: 193 Birth Date: 2-12-62
 Bats: Right Home Town: Mt. Olivet, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Deming HS

Operated at third base last season but has moved to catcher. Will still play at third base when not catching. Top power hitter on team. Performed well behind the plate in the fall, but is still learning the position. All-OVC selection at third base last year. Hit .298 with nine home runs, one triple and three doubles last year. Studying welding technology at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1981	132	30	42	34	1	4	15	4	.318
1982	124	28	37	28	3	1	9	13	.298



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Gayle Pollock

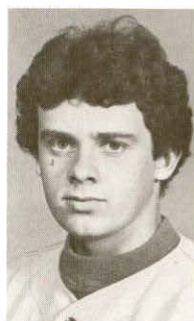
infield

Height: 5-10 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 155 Birth Date: 8-10-64
 Bats: Right Home Town: Flemingsburg, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Fleming County HS

(Name pronounced Pau-luck). A walk-on at third base for the Eagles. Has shown some power in his hitting and is a good defensive performer. Will probably see limited action while gaining experience on the collegiate level. Hit .518 with 12 home runs as a senior for coach Pete Gray at Fleming County High School last year. Studying business management at MSU.

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Todd Pratt

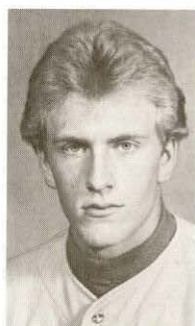
pitcher

Height: 6-3 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 187 Birth Date: 6-28-64
 Bats: Right Home Town: Morehead, Ky.
 Throws: Left High School: Rowan County HS

A walk-on at pitcher for the Eagles. A deceptive pitcher with a good curve ball. Needs experience to be effective on the collegiate level. A local product of Rowan County High School and coach Larry Hardin. Also pitcher for the Morehead Legion squad. Lettered in football and basketball at Rowan County. Studying business management at MSU.

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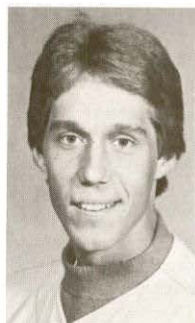
Tom Rastani

catcher

Height: 6-0 Class: Junior
 Weight: 175 Birth Date: 11-3-61
 Bats: Right Home Town: Cincinnati, Ohio
 Throws: Right High School: McNicholas HS

Will vie for starting catching position with Joe Mitchell. Had an excellent fall workout and appears ready to be productive for the Eagles. Hit .200 as a reserve performer for the Eagles last year. Was third on the team in walks with 19 despite having only 45 at-bats. Hit .290 in 22 games as a freshman with seven doubles and two home runs. Studying marketing at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg.
1981	62	13	18	15	7	0	2	7	.290
1982	45	11	9	5	0	0	0	19	.200



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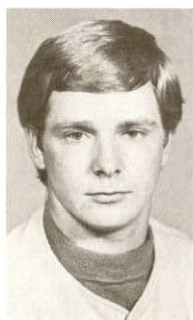
Jeff Ratliff

outfield

Height: 5-9 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 160 Birth Date: 2-3-63
 Bats: Left Home Town: Winchester, Ohio
 Throws: Left High School: Eastern Brown HS

Walked on last year as an outfielder with the Eagles. One of the hardest workers on the team. A good contact hitter that runs the bases well. Could see action in the outfield, probably in right field. Hit .294 last season in a reserve role. Hit one home run and had six runs batted in, in just 17 at-bats. Also lettered in basketball and volleyball at Eastern Brown High School. Studying agriculture at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1982	17	4	5	6	0	0	1	4	.294



Mark Roberts

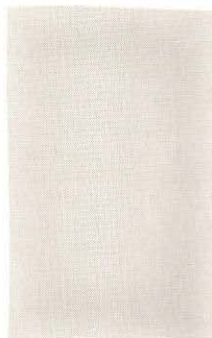
pitcher

Height: 6-4 Class: Junior
 Weight: 190 Birth Date: 4-14-60
 Bats: Right Home Town: Louisville, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Jessamine County HS

A walk-on as a pitcher for the Eagles. Has not pitched in a while but possesses a good fastball and curve ball. Could see action as a middle reliever on the Eagle pitching staff. A stand-out performer for coach Paul Hammans at Jessamine County High School. Also lettered in basketball at Jessamine County. Studying radio and television at MSU.

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Robert Shipp

infield

Height: 5-11 Class: Junior
 Weight: 180 Birth Date: 12-5-60
 Bats: Switch Home Town: Detroit, Mich.
 Throws: Right High School: Northwestern HS

Transfer from Jarvis Christian College in Hawkins, Texas. Can play any position on the field. Most likely will play at either third base, left field or shortstop. A switch hitter who hits with power from both sides of the plate. An excellent runner on the base paths. Nickname is "Bo." Studying physical education and business at MSU.

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Daniel Smith

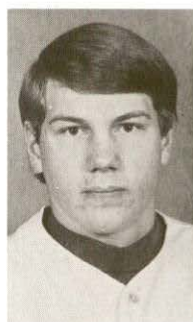
catcher

Height: 6-2 Class: Freshman
Weight: 195 Birth Date: 1-25-64
Bats: Right Home Town: Ashland, Ky.
Throws: Right High School: Paul Blazer HS

A good prospect at catcher for the Eagles. Coaching staff feels he will be very good given time and experience. Very strong. Could see some action this year. A standout performer for coach Frank Sloan at Paul G. Blazer High School. Team captain his senior year. Also lettered in football and wrestling at Paul Blazer. Studying industrial technology at MSU.

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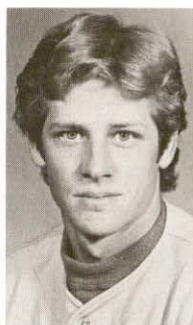
Frank Spaniol

infield

Height: 5-11 Class: Senior
Weight: 170 Birth Date: 12-2-60
Bats: Switch Home Town: San Diego, Calif.
Throws: Right High School: Serra HS

Starter at shortstop for the Eagles. Transferred to MSU from Mesa Junior College in San Diego, Calif. A switch hitter. An excellent base runner with good speed. Hit .318 with two home runs, a triple and six doubles last season. Played for a collegiate summer league team in San Diego last summer along with Alan Steele. Studying health and physical education at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1982	107	24	34	19	6	1	2	17	.318



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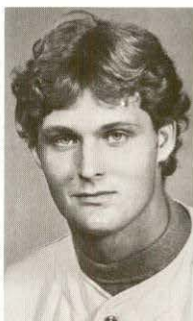
Alan Steele

outfield

Height: 5-10 Class: Senior Weight: 165 Birth Date: 10-9-60
Bats: Right Home Town: Prestonsburg, Ky.
Throws: Right High School: Prestonsburg HS

Will start in center field for the Eagles. Outstanding defensive outfielder. Hits for power as a switch hitter. Gets an excellent jump on the ball in the outfield. Hit .269 with four home runs, four doubles and 19 runs batted in last season. Hit .279 with four home runs, a triple and two doubles as a sophomore. Hit .231 as a freshman. Studying recreation at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1980	78	8	18	9	3	0	1	7	.231
1981	111	21	31	16	2	1	4	8	.279
1982	104	17	28	19	4	0	4	9	.269



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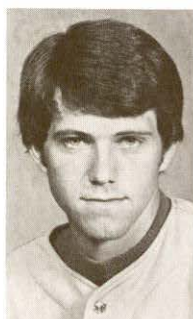
Kevin Sturgill

pitcher

Height: 6-0 Class: Senior
 Weight: 165 Birth Date: 10-9-60
 Bats: Right Home Town: Prestonsburg, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Prestonsburg HS

Had a disappointing season last year after transferring from Sinclair Community College in Dayton, Ohio. Had a good fall workout and appears ready for a productive season. Will be used as a starter or long reliever. Has a deceptive fastball and good breaking pitches. Was 0-3 last year for the Eagles. Posted a 3-1 record in his final season at Sinclair. Studying business at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1982	6	0-3	16.1	18	17-16	9.37	14	17


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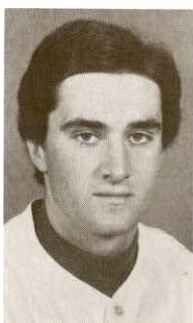
Mark Swartz

catcher

Height: 6-2 Class: Junior
 Weight: 180 Birth Date: 2-14-62
 Bats: Left Home Town: Olympia, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Bath County HS

A very versatile performer who can play all nine positions. Was 1-0 as a pitcher in nine and 1/3 innings as a freshman. Hit .196 with one home run and two doubles as a reserve last season. Operated as the No. 2 catcher last year. Good line drive hitter. Will play at first base and catcher this season. Hit .375 with four home runs in 1981. Studying physical education at MSU.

Year	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB	Avg
1981	32	11	12	6	0	0	4	9	.375
1982	56	9	11	8	2	0	1	18	.196


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Robert Trimble

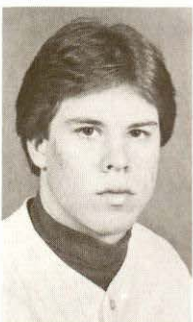
outfield

Height: 5-10 Class: Freshman
 Weight: 165 Birth Date: 10-5-64
 Bats: Left Home Town: Raceland, Ky.
 Throws: Left High School: Raceland HS

A good prospect in the outfield for the Eagles. A good power hitter and excellent runner with good speed. Needs only experience to become a good player at the collegiate level. Hit .531 with 10 home runs for coach Dan Evans at Raceland High School last year. Also an outstanding basketball and track athlete at Raceland. Studying physical education at MSU.

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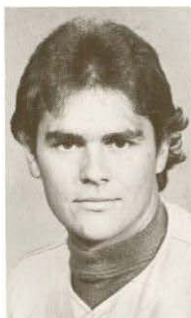


27**Rob Williams****pitcher**

Height: 6-2 Class: Sophomore
 Weight: 190 Birth Date: 1-24-63
 Bats: Right Home Town: Alexandria, Ky.
 Throws: Right High School: Campbell County HS

One of the Eagles' top returning pitchers. Top reliever on the team last season. Was 2-1 in 14 appearances for MSU last year. Recorded 24 strike outs in 27 $\frac{2}{3}$ innings and a 4.88 ERA. Hardest thrower on the team. Possesses good control. Will be used primarily as a starter this season. Had 140 strike outs in 75 innings at Campbell County High School. Studying construction technology at MSU.

Year	G	W-L	IP	H	R-ER	ERA	BB	SO
1982	14	2-1	27.2	28	15-15	4.88	20	24

**M****The Eagle****mascot**

Ohio Valley Conference



History

The idea of forming the Ohio Valley Conference was originated in 1941, but could not be implemented until after World War II. In 1948 five schools—Morehead State, Murray State, Western Kentucky, Eastern Kentucky and Louisville—withdrew from the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference and were joined by Evansville in forming the original membership of the OVC. They were joined shortly thereafter by Tennessee Tech and Marshall.

The membership has changed somewhat over the years. Middle Tennessee joined the league in 1952, East Tennessee in 1957 and Austin Peay in 1962. The trio of schools replaced Louisville, which became an independent in 1949, and Marshall and Evansville, which departed in 1952.

East Tennessee withdrew in 1978, making room for Akron and Youngstown State. Western Kentucky left the league in 1982.

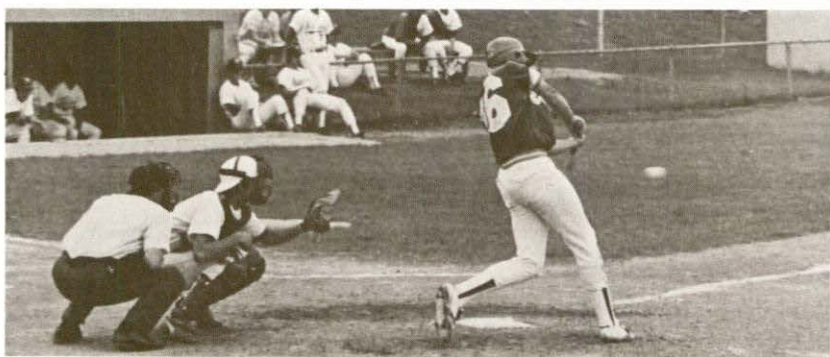
In 1955 the National Collegiate Athletic Association formally recognized the OVC as a

major basketball conference, awarding the league champion an automatic bid to the NCAA post-season tournament. At that time, the OVC was only the second six-team conference to obtain major status from the NCAA.

For many years the OVC has been represented in the nation's top holiday and post-season basketball tournaments. The league has also won recognition for its football program, placing representatives in a number of post-season bowl games. The OVC has achieved national recognition in NCAA Division I-AA football with a national championship and two runner-up positions in the four years of its existence.

OVC champions have also been prominent on the national scene in baseball, riflery, tennis, track, golf and cross country.

James Delany, former NCAA investigator and graduate of North Carolina, operates as commissioner of the OVC. He is the OVC's fourth commissioner, following Art Guepe (1963-75), Paul Dietzel (1975-76) and Bob Vanatta (1976-79).



Final 1982 Ohio Valley Conference Baseball Standings

Northern Division	OVC Games			All Games			
	W	L	PCT	W	L	T	PCT
Eastern Kentucky.....	7	1	.875	30	12	0	.714
Morehead.....	4	4	.500	19	22	0	.463
Akron.....	1	7	.125	41	17	2	.700

Southern Division	OVC Games			All Games			
	W	L	PCT	W	L	T	PCT
Western Kentucky.....	11	3	.786	37	10	0	.787
Middle Tennessee.....	12	4	.750	32	15	1	.677
Murray.....	9	5	.643	25	14	0	.641
Tennessee Tech.....	4	12	.250	27	10	2	.571
Austin Peay.....	2	14	.125	19	27	0	.413

OVC Tournament Results

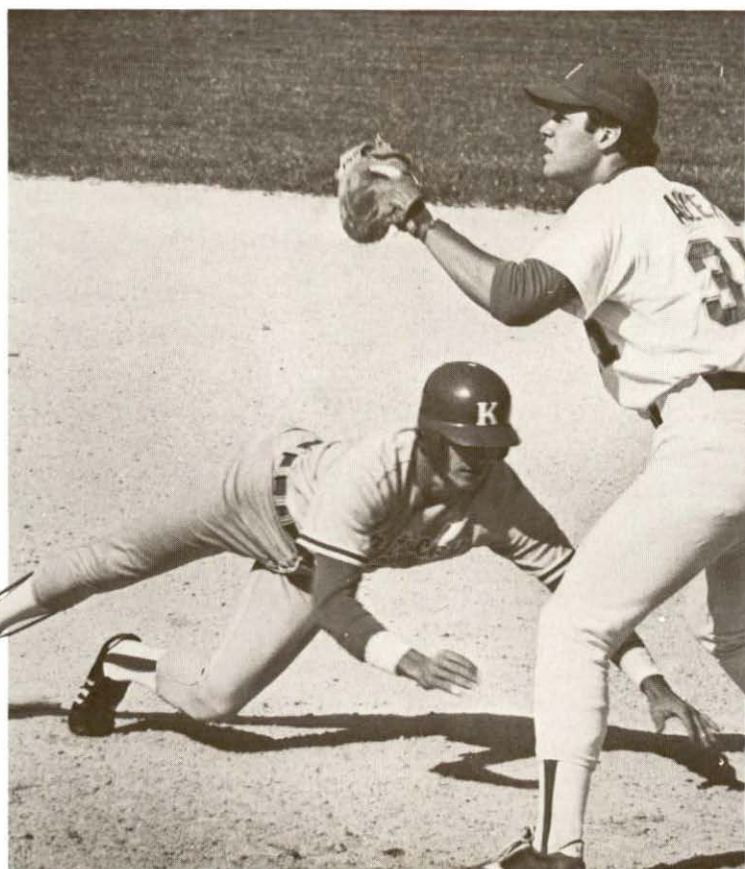
Middle Tennessee 2, Eastern Kentucky 1
 Morehead State 6, Western Kentucky 5
 Western Kentucky 6, Eastern Kentucky 3
 Middle Tennessee 4, Morehead State 3 (10 inn.)
 Western Kentucky 9, Morehead State 4
 Middle Tennessee 9, Western Kentucky 6



Year-by-Year OVC Champions

1949 Tennessee Tech
 1950 Eastern Kentucky
 1951 (In question)
 1952 Western Kentucky
 1953 Western Kentucky
 1954 Eastern Kentucky
 1955 Tennessee Tech
 1956 Tennessee Tech
1957 Morehead State
 1958 Murray State
 1959 Murray State,
 Eastern Kentucky,
 Middle Tennessee
 1960 Eastern Kentucky
 1961 Murray State
 1962 Eastern Kentucky
1963 Morehead State,
 Murray State
 1964 Murray State
 1965 Murray State
 1966 Eastern Kentucky
 1967 Eastern Kentucky
 1968 Middle Tennessee
1969 Morehead State
 1970 Murray State
 1971 Austin Peay
 1972 (No champion)
1973 Morehead State
 1974 Murray State
 1975 Murray State
 1976 Middle Tennessee
1977 Morehead State
 1978 East Tennessee
 1979 Murray State
 1980 Western Kentucky
 1981 Middle Tennessee
 1982 Middle Tennessee

Opponents





Akron Zips (41-17-2)

Location: Akron, Ohio 44325

Coach: Dave Fross

Conference: Ohio Valley

SID: Ken MacDonald (216) 375-7468

1982 Scores: 11-10, 15-2 at Morehead;
2-0, 15-4 at Akron

Brown Bruins (21-17-1)

Location: Providence, R.I. 02912

Coach: Dave Stenhouse

Conference: Ivy League

SID: Phil Langan (401) 863-2219

1982 Scores: Did not play

Charleston Golden Eagles (10-20-1)

Location: Charleston, W.Va. 25304

Coach: Tom Nocica

Conference: West Virginia Intercollegiate
Athletic

SID: John Mawyer (304) 346-9471

1982 Scores: Did not play

Cincinnati Bearcats (14-32)

Location: Cincinnati, Ohio 45221

Coach: Tom Higgins

Conference: Metro

SID: Tom Hathaway (513) 475-5091

1982 Scores: 4-5, 8-5 at Morehead

Eastern Kentucky Colonels (30-12)

Location: Richmond, Ky. 40475

Coach: Jim Ward

Conference: Ohio Valley

SID: Karl Park (606) 622-2301

1982 Scores: 3-4, 4-6 at Richmond; 3-8,
6-8 at Morehead

Indiana University Southeast Grenadiers (29-19)

Location: New Albany, Ind. 47150

Coach: Don Poole

Conference: Independent

SID: Bruce Gardner (812) 945-2731

1982 Scores: Did not play

Kentucky Wildcats (23-32)

Location: Lexington, Ky. 40601

Coach: Keith Madison

Conference: South Eastern

SID: Russell Rice (502) 564-6011

1982 Scores: 8-3, 5-6 at Lexington;
4-3, 4-2 at Morehead

Marshall Thundering Herd (17-21)

Location: Huntington, W.Va. 25715

Coach: Jack Cook

Conference: Southern

SID: Mac Yates (304) 696-5275

1982 Scores: 20-4 at Huntington; 10-15 at
Morehead

Maryland Terrapins (13-17)

Location: College Park, Md. 20740

Coach: Jack Jackson

Conference: Atlantic Coast

SID: Jack Zane (301) 454-2123

1982 Scores: Did not play

Middle Tennessee State Blue Raiders (32-15-1)

Location: Murfreesboro, Tenn. 37132

Coach: John Stanford

Conference: Ohio Valley

SID: Ed Arning (615) 898-2450

1982 Scores: 3-4 at Bowling Green, Ky.

Northern Kentucky Norsemen (19-24)

Location: Highland Heights, Ky. 41076

Coach: Bill Aker

Conference: Independent

SID: Rick Meyers (606) 572-5470

1982 Scores: 10-0, 9-4 at Highland

Heights; 5-2, 12-8 at Morehead

Ohio University Bobcats (26-23-1)

Location: Athens, Ohio 45701

Coach: Jerry France

Conference: Mid American

SID: Mike Ballweg (614) 594-5031

1982 Scores: Did not play

SID: Jim Norman (401) 792-2409

1982 Scores: Did not play

Southeastern Massachusetts Corsairs

(17-16)

Location: North Dartmouth, Mass. 02747

Coach: Bruce Wheeler

Conference: Independent

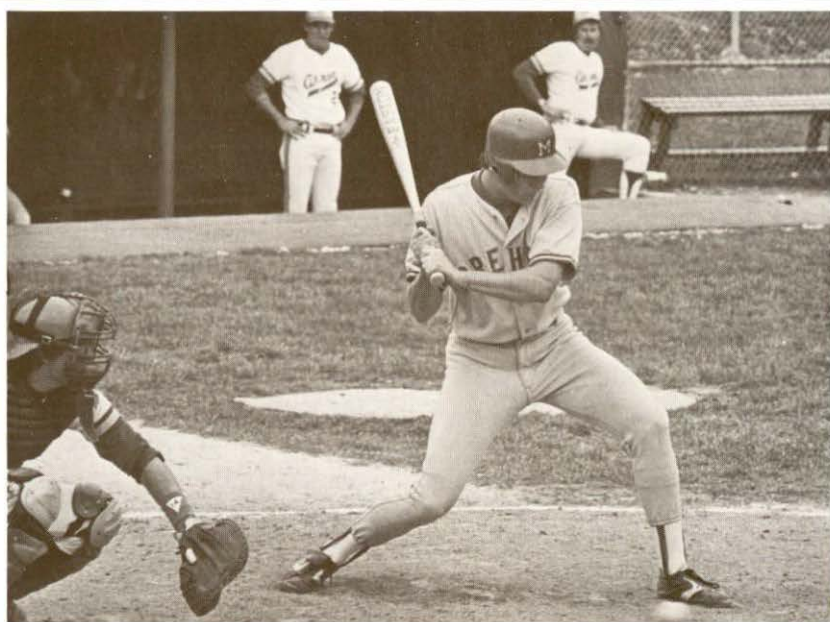
SID: William Gathright (617) 999-8720

1982 Scores: Did not play

St. Xavier Cougars (47-41)

Location: Chicago, Ill. 60655

Coach: John Morrey

**Pikeville Bears (6-27)**

Location: Pikeville, Ky. 41501

Coach: Basil Armstrong

Conference: Kentucky Intercollegiate

Athletic

SID: Susan Allen Huffman (606) 432-9331

1982 Scores: Did not play

Purdue Boilermakers (33-22)

Location: West Lafayette, Ind. 47907

Coach: Dave Alexander

Conference: Big Ten

SID: Jim Vrugink (317) 494-3200

1982 Scores: 6-13, 2-3, 1-2 at Morehead

Rhode Island Rams (17-19)

Location: Kingston, R.I. 02881

Coach: John Norris

Conference: Atlantic Ten

Conference: Chicagoland Collegiate

Athletic

SID: John Morrey (312) 779-3300

1982 Scores: 7-12, 2-0, 6-13, 7-2, 6-9 at

Morehead

Western Michigan Broncos (34-17)

Location: Kalamazoo, Mich. 49008

Coach: Fred Decker

Conference: Mid American

SID: John Beatty (616) 383-0947

1982 Scores: Did not play

Youngstown State Penguins (23-14)

Location: Youngstown, Ohio 44555

Coach: Dom Rosselli

Conference: Ohio Valley

SID: Greg Gulas (216) 742-3192

1982 Scores: Did not play

Morehead State University

1982 Final Baseball Statistics

Overall Record: 19-22 41 Games OVC Northern Division: 4-4

Player	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	So	BB	SB	HP	SAC	AVG
Don Allen	118	28	44	40	6	0	12	15	21	4	2	1	.373
Jamey Bennett	96	29	37	19	7	1	5	14	20	15	1	1	.385
John Bennett	24	8	7	6	1	0	3	7	2	0	1	1	.292
Charles Clifton	38	6	7	6	1	1	2	8	3	3	0	0	.184
Mark Davis	87	14	20	7	3	0	2	10	14	5	1	1	.230
Chris Hail	10	2	2	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	1	1	.200
Tony Hatton	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	.000
Scott Haynes	48	15	20	9	3	0	3	3	6	0	1	0	.417
Steve Heatherly	121	26	27	18	9	0	4	27	17	10	2	5	.223
Shawn Johnson	107	22	36	22	10	0	1	17	9	6	1	1	.336
Mike Mattox	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000
John Miller	37	2	9	8	0	0	1	6	4	0	1	1	.243
Joe Mitchell	124	28	37	28	3	1	9	16	13	3	0	1	.298
Glenn Napier	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333
Tom Rastani	45	11	9	5	0	0	0	5	19	2	1	1	.200
Jeff Ratliff	17	4	5	6	0	0	1	5	4	1	0	0	.294
Frank Spaniol	107	24	34	19	6	1	2	8	17	8	1	0	.318
Alan Steele	104	17	28	19	4	0	4	20	9	4	0	4	.269
Mark Swartz	56	9	11	8	2	0	1	9	18	5	1	1	.196
Totals	1145	247	334	223	56	4	50	175	182	66	14	19	.292
Opponents	1176	224	291	192	49	3	35	213	188	64	18	17	.247

Pitching

Player	G	GS	CG	W-L	IP	R	ER	H	SO	BB	HP	WP	ERA
David Armentrout	11	8	4	6-3	59⅓	34	28	60	27	19	2	4	4.22
Ted Carter	3	0	0	0-0	5⅓	4	3	4	2	4	1	0	4.76
Tim Cornett	3	0	0	0-0	3⅓	6	6	7	2	5	1	0	14.73
Drew Hall	7	4	1	0-4	27⅓	22	14	22	29	28	3	6	4.55
Scott Haynes	3	0	0	1-0	10⅓	7	5	11	3	5	0	1	4.23
Ray Hornback	7	3	1	2-1	22⅓	15	11	23	17	17	1	2	4.37
Rick Layne	7	7	2	4-2	36⅓	28	27	39	42	25	2	3	6.63
Mike Mattox	10	10	4	4-5	48⅓	31	23	43	36	26	1	5	4.28
David Michael	5	3	0	0-2	11⅓	27	23	17	7	16	2	3	17.74
Glenn Napier	4	2	0	0-1	13⅓	17	15	21	7	9	1	1	9.88
Kevin Sturgill	6	2	1	0-3	16⅓	18	17	16	17	14	3	2	9.37
Robbie Williams	14	2	1	2-1	27⅓	15	15	28	24	20	1	1	4.88
Totals	41	14	19	19-22	284⅓	224	187	291	213	188	18	28	5.92
Opponents	41	12	22	19-22	280	247	214	334	175	182	14	25	6.88

1982 Morehead State Baseball Results

(41 games, Won 19, Lost 22)

Date	Opponent	Result	Pitcher (Record)	Team Record
February 26	St. Xavier	L 12-7	Michael (0-1)	0-1
February 27	St. Xavier	W 2-0	Armentrout (1-0)	1-1
February 27	St. Xavier	L 13-6	Mattox (0-1)	1-2
February 28	St. Xavier	W 7-2	Layne (1-0)	2-2
February 28	St. Xavier	L 9-6	Hall (0-1)	2-3
March 8	+ North Alabama	W 10-1	Armentrout (2-0)	3-3
March 8	at Arkansas State	L 3-0	Mattox (0-2)	3-4
March 9	at Memphis State	L 4-3	Layne (1-1)	3-5
March 9	at Memphis State	L 5-2	Hall (0-2)	3-6
March 10	at Memphis State	L 9-0	Michael (0-2)	3-7
March 10	at Memphis State	L 3-2	Sturgill (0-1)	3-8
March 14	West Virginia	W 8-4	Armentrout (3-0)	4-8
March 14	West Virginia	W 7-3	Mattox (1-2)	5-8
March 20	Cincinnati	L 5-4	Armentrout (3-1)	5-9
March 20	Cincinnati	W 8-5	Layne (2-1)	6-9
March 22	at Louisville	L 10-1	Mattox (1-3)	6-10
March 22	at Louisville	L 10-6	Hall (0-3)	6-11
March 24	at Kentucky	W 8-3	Williams (1-0)	7-11
March 24	at Kentucky	L 6-5	Sturgill (0-2)	7-12
March 26	Purdue	L 13-6	Armentrout (3-2)	7-13
March 27	Purdue	L 3-2	Mattox (1-4)	7-14
March 27	Purdue	L 2-1	Hall (0-3)	7-15
March 29	at Northern Kentucky	W 10-0	Hornback (1-0)	8-15
March 29	at Northern Kentucky	W 9-4	Haynes (1-0)	9-15
April 2	*Akron	W 11-10	Armentrout (4-2)	10-15
April 2	*Akron	W 15-2	Layne (3-1)	11-15
April 5	at Marshall	W 20-4	Mattox (2-4)	12-15
April 10	*at Eastern Kentucky	L 4-3	Armentrout (4-3)	12-16
April 10	*at Eastern Kentucky	L 6-4	Layne (3-2)	12-17
April 11	*Eastern Kentucky	L 8-3	Mattox (2-5)	12-18
April 11	*Eastern Kentucky	L 9-6	Napier (0-1)	12-19
April 12	Marshall	L 15-10	Sturgill (0-3)	12-20
April 18	*at Akron	W 2-0	Mattox (3-5)	13-20
April 18	*at Akron	W 15-4	Williams (2-0)	14-20
April 21	Kentucky	W 4-3	Armentrout (5-3)	15-20
April 21	Kentucky	W 4-2	Hornback (2-0)	16-20
April 25	Northern Kentucky	W 5-2	Mattox (4-5)	17-20
April 25	Northern Kentucky	W 12-8	Layne (4-2)	18-20
April 30	@ Western Kentucky	W 6-5	Armentrout (6-3)	19-20
May 1	@ Middle Tennessee	L 4-3	Williams (2-1)	19-21
May 1	@ Western Kentucky	L 9-4	Hornback (2-1)	19-22

+ played at Jonesboro, Ark.

*OVC Northern Division game

@OVC Tournament at Bowling Green, Ky.

Team Fielding

	PO	A	E	PCT
Morehead State	853	366	81	.938
Opponents	840	372	71	.945

MSU Records

Hitting

Highest Batting Average: (min. 40 at bats)

.488, Charles Dudley Caudill, 1958 (21-43)

Most at Bats:

164, Ken Nooe, * 1975

Most Runs Scored:

49, Jim Brockman, 1977

Most Hits:

Game: 6, Val Falcone vs. Marshall, 1971

Team: 26 vs. Eastern Kentucky, 1977

Season: 67, Ken Nooe, * 1975

Most Doubles:

Game: 3, Dave Bennett vs. Eastern Kentucky, 1977

Season: 12, Ken Nooe, * 1975; Jim Brockman, 1977

Most Triples:

Season: 5, Les Stewart, 1964

Most Home Runs:

Game: 4, Jamey Bennett vs. Tennessee Tech, 1979

Season: 19, Jody Hamilton, 1979

Career: 49, Jody Hamilton, 1977-1980

Most Runs Batted In:

Game: 8, Homer Cablish vs. Western Kentucky, 1972

Season: 60, Jody Hamilton, 1979

Most Runs Batted In:

Career: 155, Jody Hamilton, 1977-80

Most Total Bases:

Season: 130, Jody Hamilton, 1979 (30 1B, 11 2B, 0 3B, 19 HR)

Career: 376, Jody Hamilton, 1977-80 (100 1B, 37 2B, 2 3B, 49 HR)

Highest Slugging Percentage:

Season: .884, Charles Caudill, 1958 (43 AB, 21 H, 38 TB)

* Denotes record for combined fall and spring statistics.

Pitching

Most wins:

Season: 10, Harold Sergeant, 1964 (10-2)

Most Losses:

Season: 7, John Capelle, 1967 (5-7)

Most Innings Pitched:

Season: 83, Harold Sergeant, 1964

Most Strikeouts:

Game: 13, Tom Miller vs. MacAlester, 1971

Season: 86, John Capelle, 1967

Best Earned Run Average: (min. 27 IP)

Season: 1.48, Charles Adkins, 1964

Best Earned Run Average: (min. 3 Decisions)

Season: 1.09, Jerry Weir, 1971 (3-0)

No Hit, No Run Games:

Pete Gray vs. Howard (2-0), 1963; John Capelle vs. Tenn. Tech (3-0), 1964; Jim Martin vs. Middle Tenn. (2-0), 1968

Most No Hit, No Run Innings in a Game:

12 $\frac{1}{3}$, Pete Gray vs. Eastern Kentucky, 1963

Miscellaneous

Most Stolen Bases:

Season: 27, Dennis Doyle, 1964

Best Team Batting Average:

.340 in 1977

Most Doubles in a Game:

Team: 9, vs. Eastern Kentucky, 1977

Most Home Runs in a Season:

Team: 73 in 1979

Most Runs Batted In in a Season:

Team: 301, 1977

Most Runs by One Team in a Game:

28, vs. Eastern Kentucky, 1977

Most Runs by Two Teams in a Game:

38, MSU vs. Kentucky, 1979 (MSU 20, Kentucky 18)

Most Runs in One Inning:

17, MSU vs. Kentucky State, 1963, 1st inning

Consecutive Games Batted Safely:

30, Glenn Jones, 1981

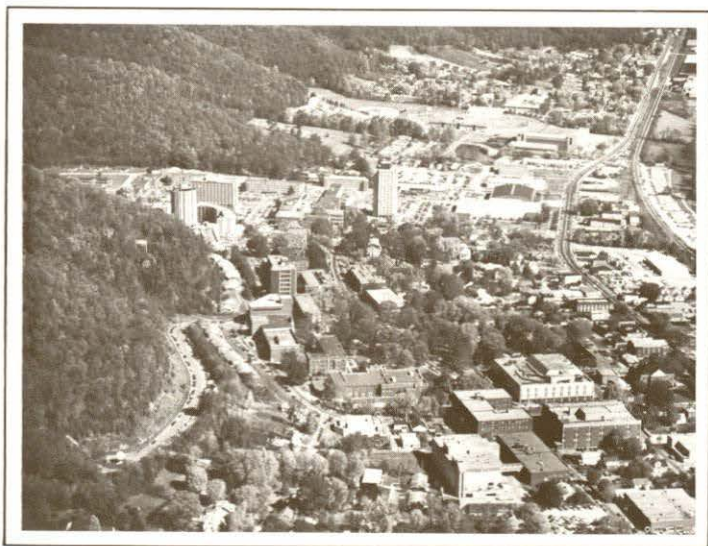
Most Wins in a Season:

28 in 1976

Most Double Plays:

Game: 5, MSU vs. East Tennessee, Fall, 1982

Morehead State University



Quality is the byword of Morehead State University as the institution begins its seventh decade of service. Founded in 1922 as a teacher's college, MSU became a university in 1966.

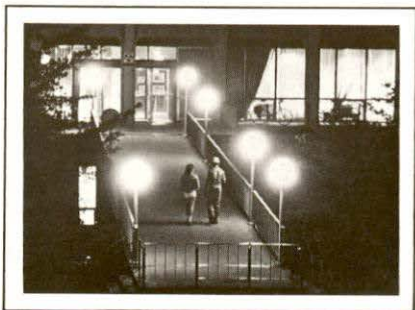
Nestled in the foothills of the Daniel Boone National Forest, Morehead State provides a learning and living environment for nearly 7,000 students and 900 faculty and staff members. The university's 500-acre campus features a 50-structure skyline dominated by the two tallest occupied structures in Eastern Kentucky, 19-story Cartmell Hall and 16-story Mignon Tower.

The university's six academic schools offer 145 programs of study from an associate degree to a joint doctoral program. Applied Sciences and Technology, Business and Economics, Education, Humanities, Sciences and Mathematics and Social Sciences comprise the academic schools.

MSU operates under a 10-member Board of Regents. Eight citizens are appointed by the governor of Kentucky and two seats are held by elected faculty and student representatives with full voting rights. The administrative structure consists primarily of four bureaus—academic affairs, fiscal affairs, university and regional services and student affairs.

Dr. Morris L. Norfleet became MSU's eighth president on Jan. 1, 1977. A graduate of Purdue and Kentucky, he joined the faculty and administrative staff in 1962 as director of student teaching.

Morehead State sponsors a full program of intercollegiate sports for men and women as members of the Ohio Valley Conference and National Collegiate Athletic Association. Athletic facilities include a 10,000-seat football stadium with an eight-lane oval track, a newly-completed 7,000-seat arena, a 1,200-seat baseball park, 14 all-weather tennis courts, a nine-hole golf course, an indoor swimming pool and a lighted soccer field.



Allen Field



John E. (Sonny) Allen Stadium has been the home of the Morehead State University baseball Eagles since 1973.

The stadium, which seats 1,200, is named for MSU Assistant Athletic Director John E. (Sonny) Allen. Allen was a standout athlete and successful coach at Morehead State. He was a four-year starter for the basketball Eagles and ranks third on the all-time school scoring list with 1,923 points.

Allen served as head baseball coach at MSU for 14 seasons, compiling a record of 226-137. He was named Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year three times as he guided Morehead State to conference championships in 1957, 1969 and 1973.

In addition to the comfortable seating for spectators, Allen Field has dressing rooms for each team which lead directly to the

dugouts. The home team's dressing area includes carpeting, showers and lockers.

The coach's office is also housed in the stadium, as are a concession stand, training room, dressing rooms for coaches and umpires, and public restrooms. The stadium press box can accommodate 10 people comfortably.

The outfield fence is 24 feet high all around. The distances to the fence are 330 feet down the left field line and 345 feet down the right field line. The right-center field power alley is 335 feet and the left-center power alley is 378 feet.

The deepest part of the outfield is in left-center field, where it measures 398 feet from home plate. Straightaway center field is 375 feet.

Morehead State University 1983 Baseball Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		MARCH 1	2	3	4 Xavier (2)	5 Xavier (2)
6 Xavier (2)	7 Middle Tennessee	8 Middle Tennessee (2)	9	10 Maryland (2)	11 Maryland	12 Cincinnati (2)
13 Southeast Massachusetts	14 Indiana-Southeast (2)	15	16	17	18	19 Rhode Island, SE Mass.
20	21	22 Kentucky	23 Louisville (2)	24	25 Purdue (2)	26 Purdue (2)
27	28 Northern Kentucky (2)	29 Louisville (2)	30 Kentucky	31	APRIL 1 Western Michigan (2)	2 Brown, Western Michigan
3 Brown	4 Brown	5 Ohio University	6 Marshall	7 Youngstown State (2)	8	9 Akron (2)
10	11	12	13 Marshall	14 Eastern Kentucky (2)	15	16 Eastern Kentucky (2)
17	18 Northern Kentucky (2)	19	20	21 Akron (2)	22	23 Youngstown State (2)
24	25 Charleston	26 Pikeville	27	28 Ohio Valley Conference Tournament (at Northern Division site)	29	30

Home Games ☒

Away Games ☐

STEVE HAMILTON

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